

Office of the Mayor

Proclamation



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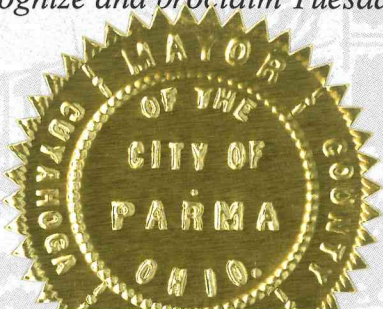
PACZKI DAY **IN THE CITY OF PARMA**

WHEREAS, the City of Parma and everyone else sure do love their **PACZKIS**. A Paczki is the traditional Polish donut eaten before the start of Lent. The doughnuts were made to use up all the lard, sugar, eggs and fruit in the house because their consumption was forbidden during Lent.

WHEREAS, Parma residents, as well as people from near and far, enjoy a good **PACZKI**, so much so that they line up early at their favorite **Parma** bakery to be sure to secure enough for the office or home.

WHEREAS, whether you prefer fruit-filled or custard-filled, plain or sugar-coated, you can find what you are looking for right here in the City of Parma. There are over 15 bakeries in the City to choose from. Maybe this year you'll go out of your way to one of the bakeshops experimenting with new flavors such as cheese and potato or even beer-flavored fillings.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, TIM DeGEETER, Mayor for the City of Parma, do hereby recognize and proclaim Tuesday, Feb 9, 2016 as **PACZKI DAY** in the City of Parma.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Parma, Ohio to be here affixed.


TIM DeGEETER, Mayor, City of Parma